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# **REMARKS**

The specification is being amended to correct misnumbering of the SEQ ID Nos.

Attached is a marked-up version of the changes being made by the current amendment.

Applicant asks that all claims be examined. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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# Version with markings to show changes made

# In the specification:

Paragraph beginning at page 44, line 29 has been amended as follows:

--Figure 5 depicts the generation of pEYK2 retroviral vector. Figure 5A depicts the pMX vector which contains an extended gag region and a lethal stuffer sequence. Figure 5B depicts the pEYK2 vector in which two-rounds of site-directed mutagenesis were performed on pMX to alter to internal ATG codons (residues 1355 and 1847)(SEQIDNO:14) of the gag packaging sequence to SEQ ID NO:15.--

Paragraph beginning at page 58, line 5 has been amended as follows:

### -- Primer Pair 1

1759 AAAGGACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGA (SEQ ID NO:3)

3291 CACCACAGGTAATGCTTTTACTGGC (SEQ ID NO:4)

### Primer Pair 2

1763 GACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGACCAC (SEQ ID NO:5)

3291 CACCACAGGTAATGCTTTTACTGGC (SEQ ID NO:[6] 4)

### Primer Pair 3

1738 AAGAACCTAGAACCTCGCTGGAAAG (SEQ ID NO:[7] 6)

3291 CACCACAGGTAATGCTTTTACTGGC (SEQ ID NO:[8] 4)

#### Primer Pair 4

1759 AAAGGACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGA (SEQ ID NO:[9] 3)

3344 GAAGTCGATGACGGCAGATTTAGAG (SEQ ID NO:[10] 7)

### Primer Pair 5

1759 AAAGGACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGA (SEQ ID NO:[11] 3)

3289 CCACAGGTAATGCTTTTACTGGCCT (SEQ ID NO:[12] 8)

#### Primer Pair 6

1760 AAGGACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGAC (SEQ ID NO:[13] 9)

3291 CACCACAGGTAATGCTTTTACTGGC (SEQ ID NO:[14] 4)

### Primer Pair 7

1763 GACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGACCAC (SEQ ID NO:[15] 5)

3344 GAAGTCGATGACGGCAGATTTAGAG (SEQ ID NO:[16] 7)

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Primer Pair 8

1763 GACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGACCAC (SEQ ID NO:[17] <u>5</u>) 3289 CCACAGGTAATGCTTTTACTGGCCT (SEQ ID NO:[18] <u>8</u>)

Primer Pair 9

1724 GCCGACACCAGACTAAGAACCTAGA (SEQ ID NO:[19] 10)
3291 CACCACAGGTAATGCTTTTACTGGC (SEQ ID NO:[20] 4)

Primer Pair 10

1759 AAAGGACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGA (SEQ ID NO:[21] <u>3</u>) 3296 AACCCCACCACGGTAATGCTTTTA (SEQ ID NO:[22] <u>11</u>)

Primer Pair 11

1763 GACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGACCAC (SEQ ID NO:[23] <u>5</u>) 3296 AACCCCACCACGGTAATGCTTTTA (SEQ ID NO:[24] <u>11</u>)

Primer Pair 12

1759 AAAGGACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGA (SEQ ID NO:[25] <u>3</u>) 3287 ACAGGTAATGCTTTTACTGGCCTGC (SEQ ID NO:[26] <u>12</u>)

Primer Pair 13

1759 AAAGGACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGA (SEQ ID NO:[27] <u>3</u>) 3222 GCCGCTGTAAAGTGTTACGTTGAGA (SEQ ID NO:[28] <u>13</u>)

Primer Pair 14

1763 GACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGACCAC (SEQ ID NO:[29] <u>5</u>) 3287 ACAGGTAATGCTTTTACTGGCCTGC (SEQ ID NO:[30] 12)

Primer Pair 15

1763 GACCTTACACAGTCCTGCTGACCAC (SEQ ID NO:[31] <u>5</u>) 3222 GCCGCTGTAAAGTGTTACGTTGAGA (SEQ ID NO:[32] 13)--